

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RECEIVED

NOV 17 2003

#2641
ExFC
12.2.03

In re application of : Confirmation No. 6143

Mitsuaki OSHIMA et al. : Docket No. 2000_1390 Technology Center 2600

Serial No. 09/677,420 : Group Art Unit 2634

Filed October 5, 2000 : Examiner A. Le **RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR 1.116**

COMMUNICATION SYSTEM : **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

EXAMINING GROUP 2634

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the communication of July 11, 2003.

The fee of \$110.00 is

submitted herewith.
 to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
 Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
 is enclosed.
 has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

Mitsuaki OSHIMA et al.

By

Jeffrey R. Filipek
Registration No. 41,471
Attorney for Patentees

JRF/fs

Washington, D.C. 20006-1021

Telephone (202) 721-8200

Faxsimile (202) 721-8250

November 12, 2003

11/13/2003 SDIRETAL 00000045 09677420

110.00 OP

01 FC:1251